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PASSING OF A PIONEER

In Mrs. Hibbs Death--County Loses One of Its Oldest Residents--Came From Meade County Seventy Years Ago.

SERIOUS ILLNESS WAS OF ONLY A FEW DAYS DURATION.

Last Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock Mrs. Mary Lucile Hibbs died at her residence on Salem street in this city, in her seventy-fifth year. Her children were all with her when the end came. Mr. J. M. Barnes, of Folu, having been summoned several days before and the others, all making their home with her, being Mrs. Lemmiah Nunn wife of C. S. Nunn, and Misses Ninna and Della Barnes. Her sister, Mrs. Sarah Guess, the widow of Jose Guess, of Folu, was also present, and her daughter, Miss Ruth Guess, Miss Mary Colfield, her grand daughter, who has lived with her for several years was also with her grand mother when she died. Mrs. Hibbs had been in feeble health all summer but her serious illness was of only a few days duration, but was of such a serious nature that her family and friends had been prepared for her death and expecting it for several days.

Besides her relatives mentioned, she is survived by one brother, A. P. Shanks, of Gold Dust, Tenn., and a sister, Mrs. Gordon S. Flanary, of Texas.

Mrs. Hibbs was a daughter of Mentor Shanks who moved to this county from Brandenburg, Ky., seventy years ago when she was a little girl. Her mother was a Miss Yeakey and she was related to all that large family in this county. H. M. Cook and Mrs. Isabel Flanary, of this city, are her first cousins.

She was born at Brandenburg, Meade Co., April 2nd, 1834. Her first marriage was to Wm. Barnes, April 20th, 1852, soon after his return from California whither he had gone in 1849 when gold was discovered there. Mr. Barnes died in 1887, and his widow married J. L. Hibbs, of Birdsville, Ky., Aug. 14th, 1895. Mr. Hibbs died ten years ago.

Mrs. Hibbs was a lovely Christian character and a woman of great refinement. She was modest and retiring in manner and was beloved by a wide circle of friends.

Her membership was with the Baptist church here, but was originally at Dunn Springs, which is near the old Shanks place where her father first located after moving to this county. The funeral was held at the residence Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock and interment at the new cemetery, Rev. J. S. Henry officiating.

Letter from Georgia.

Mr. S. M. Jenkins, as I am a reader of the Record Press and as an ex citizen of your county and state, I feel an interest in your county and especially do I feel a keen interest in my neighbors and friends who live in old Crittenden whom I have learned to love and esteem and I shall always hold them in great remembrance, and I feel a personal interest in their prosperity and adversity not as Baptists or Methodists, Democrats or Republicans, but as neighbors and friends, and my absence from you all serves only to strengthen my regard toward you all of course the Record-Press too, I esteem very much as a letter from home each week, but it tells its tales of sadness as well as those of joy. The ruthless murder of Mr. James Sullenger was a sad affair, and I greatly sym-

pathize with his family in their bereavement.

I must say that I feel interested in the trouble that has arisen between the spectator and tobacco growers of Kentucky, and I must say too, that it does seem to me that the good people of Kentucky have suffered those blood suckers to live and prosper long enough on the blood they have unjustly drawn from the honest farmers and laborers of this country. These things will continue just as long as the people will allow it. The golden rule has been reversed and we now have the rule of gold, and it seems to be very popular with the majority in the United States, and until the people are set free from its damnable influence we may expect to have night riders, strikes and riots and the shedding of blood as a consequence. How shall we stop these things (by simply doing right) vote for no man who will not pledge himself to do all in his power for the repeal of all laws favoring the combination of capital and the formation of trusts to rob the farmers and laborers of this country, and pass a law promptly at two o'clock. At night to hang every man that attempts to violate it, or they should have no place in this country and the sooner we get rid of him the better. When

is the blood of our forefathers? What was it shed for? It was for freedom and to get rid of injustice. The same spirit is responsible for the night riders in

Kentucky. The men who are permitted to combine their wealth and all the power and influence at their command for the purpose of robbing the honest tobacco growers are the ones to be punished, and also those who legalize and support such a principle. I know there is none so blind as those who will not see, but it seems to me that the blind ought to see where the trouble is and who is responsible for it and the remedy.

I would be glad if some one would give us through the columns of the Record-Press the average prices paid for tobacco for each year from 1880 to 1906. Also the price paid for 1907 crop that we may see what a contrast in prices exist.

Now in conclusion I must say I do think the tobacco grower have a just cause for complaint, and I do hope they may be able by just and honorable means to bind hand and foot every power that has taken a hand in oppressing them and I believe the time is near at hand when they will be able to do it. I cannot forecast the future, but I believe there is a great shaking up just ahead, and if it dont shake the leeches from our body politic I shall be greatly disappointed. P. E. J. BETTS.

Ohio River Association.

This body meets with Hampton Baptist church, Livingston county, Wednesday Aug. 19th at ten o'clock a.m. Elder T. P. Carter, of Marion is expected to preach the introductory sermon. Hampton church and community are prepared to take care of the messengers and visitors from the churches. R. A. LARUE, Clerk.

A Good Reputation Is A Fair Estate."

This maxim is well applied to the Sun Brothers' Greater Progressive Shows, that will appear here shortly. Many new features will be exhibited

at Marion Tuesday Aug. 18th.

The value of a good name as a trademark in winning the confidence and esteem of the public was never better exemplified than in the case of Sun Brothers' Greater Progressive Shows this season. Wherever they have cast their tents and caravan, immense crowds have been in attendance. The show is bigger and better than ever. The acrobatic features being enlarged and the animal department being augmented by divers new and strange beasts from distant lands. The Sun Brothers' performance is always clean and interesting and cannot fail to be instructive to everyone.

For the 1908 tour will be found at each performance, the marvelous Atlas Troupe, a company of (s) of the very greatest acrobats that ever appeared before the public. These exponents of acrobatics, presents a series of entirely new and original feats, requiring strength, athletic skill and acrobatic agility. They execute with astonishing ease and grace the most daring, difficult and thrilling acrobatic acts imaginable. It can truthfully be said that the Atlas Troupe stand without peers in the Acrobatic Permanent.

In the morning at 11:30 o'clock, there will be offered on a magnificent Plaza erected in front of the Main Entrance, a series of extraordinary free exhibitions. It is announced that they will be best out-door feats ever before given to the public gratuitously.

The doors for the "Main Top" performance will be opened at one o'clock, and the Matinee will start promptly at two o'clock. At night to hang every man that attempts to violate it, or they should have no place in this country and the sooner we get rid of him the better. When

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Aug. 1st, 1908, for the purpose of organization. The following delegates were present.

Aaron Towery, Piney district, Smith Newcom Bells Mines " Thos. Lanham, Marion No. 1 " J. H. Mayes, Marion, No. 2 " R. B. Clement, Union " W. B. Rankin, Fords Ferry " M. F. Pogue, Dycusburg " Hurrae not being represented.

After statement by Chairman Towery, J. H. Mayes was selected for temporary chairman, and H. N. Lamb, temporary secretary.

The election of officers for the year being taken up resulted as follows: For Chairman, W. B. Rankin of Marion, H. N. Lamb, of Piney for secretary.

Mr. Rankin asked the delegates for an expression of their choice for general manager, and they voted unanimously for Mr. Elliott. The meeting then adjourned.

W. B. RANKIN, Chmn.

H. N. LAMB, Sec'y.

In His Service.

Rev. J. F. Price held a fine meeting at Brown's school house, Summer Co., Tenn., and organized a church with thirty-four members. He went from there to Boiling Springs. There was a great revival at this church. The people say that it is the greatest revival the church has had for years. The meeting continued only a week. There were fourteen professions, all young ladies and gentlemen. Bro. Price was assisted at Boiling Springs by J. C. Minner, who conducted the music, everybody was delighted with Corry's singing, and the crowd grew so immense that the church house would nothing like hold the people.

Bro. Price goes to Lebanon, Tenn., this week to attend the Bible Conference.

Has Miraculous Escape From Death.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS]

Ford Ferry, Ky., Aug. 3--Ray Truitt, the seventeen year old son of Mrs. Lizzie Truitt, came very near meeting a horrible death half a mile from here out on the Clementsburg road Friday afternoon at about 4 o'clock.

Young Truitt was returning home after having hauled a load of ties down to the river. He was working a team of mules that were young and not thoroughly broken. Yet that evening the mules walked along lazily, innocently, and with unusual docility. Thus was the unwary lad beguiled to leave his perch on the wagon and climb astride one of the treacherous mules.

The mules suddenly pricked up their ears and gave vent to their wild energy and instinct hellishness. They plunged head long up the road, bucking, leaping, surging, pawing and raising a great dust. Ray fell down between the mules, his head hit the wagon tongue, and he finally hit the ground. Mules and wagon passed over him, and he was unconscious for several moments.

When semi-consciousness had returned he gazed up the road and saw the mules about one hundred yards away. He got on his wagon, and drove up to C. M. Clift's house about 600 yards away.

Here in incoherent language he told of the run-a-way. A physician was sent for, but could not be obtained. However, the Clift brothers dressed his wounds in short order, and by sunset young Truitt was sufficiently recovered to be carried home in a buggy.

Somebody started a report that he was killed, but that was a mistake. His injuries, although bad, are not thought to be serious.

MUSICAL RECITAL

Given at the School Auditorium Last Thursday Evening, July Thirtieth, Was Enjoyed by a Large Audience.

MARION'S HOME TALENT PROVES TO BE A SUCCESS.

Last Thursday evening the elite of the city gathered at the school auditorium to attend the musical given by Miss Ina Price.

The following program was rendered in a way to interest and delight the large audience.

Piano Quartette Comrade in Arms	Hayes
Hazel Pollard, Mira Dixon, Ruth Flanary, Mamie Haynes.	Collins
Piano Solo- Princess May	Loleta Frazier.
Vocal Solo- What the Rose Said to Me	Hazel Pollard.
Piano Solo- Dance of the Brownies	Roman
Linda Jenkins.	Andrews
Piano Solo- Ripples of the Alabama	Mira Dixon.
Piano Quartette- Galop D's Concert	L. Milde
May Travis, Ina Price, Lena Holtzelaw, Elvah Pickens.	
Recitation- Sweetheart Days	Lena Holtzelaw.
Piano Solo- Kameonnoi Ostrom	Rubenstein
Madeleine Jenkins	
Piano Solo Caprice Elegante	May Travis.
Reading	Lena Holtzelaw
Ballata e Bizzaria	Pagonecelli
Misses Deboe, Jenkins, Travis, Price, Boston, Mrs. Jenkins.	Bachman
Piano Solo- The Swallows	Mamie Haynes.
Piano Solo- Valse Caprice	Newland
b Impromptu Mazurka	Lack
Hazel Pollard.	
Vocal Duet- Japanese	Linda Jenkins, Lucile Pollard.
Drill /	

Each member is really worthy of special mention for each one of the fair participants acquitted herself with distinction, and proved by the touch, execution and expression that she had been well trained and had availed herself of her opportunities.

The evening was one long to be remembered by lovers of this most delightful art, and was rendered doubly pleasant by the recitations of Miss Lena Holtzelaw, the solo by the "sweet little song birds" Hazel Pollard; the duet by Lucile Pollard and Linda Jenkins, and the drill, with which the entertainment closed, in which a group of beautiful girls trained by Mrs. Pollard, drilled in a harmonious and musical step in Japanese costume, the bright colors of which added to the attraction of the scene. Among the musicians, Miss May Travis was an inspiration. Her friends not only have a right to feel proud of her but are predicting a brilliant future for her in the musical world.

Preaching at Crooked Creek.

Rev. J. T. Green will preach at Crooked Creek Friday night. He is a son of Elbert Green and wife, pioneer citizens of this country, who lived on the Fords Ferry road one mile north of where the city now stands and were members Crooked Creek church sixty years ago. Elder Green, himself, went to Sunday School at Crooked Creek fifty-five years ago when Leander Hughes was one of the teachers and taught his class. His mother was a Miss Wilborn, and he is a relative of all the Wilborns of this county.

Clement- Dorroh.

Wednesday afternoon, July 29th, at 4 o'clock Mr. W. L. Clement and Miss Isabel Dorroh, of Crayne vicinity, drove into the city to Rev. W. T. Oakley's residence and were quietly married by that eminent divine in the parlors of his residence, in an impressive way. Only a few friends witnessed the ceremony. The groom is one of the community's best known men and is a widower. He stands high in the community where he was raised,

and has lived all his life.

His bride is a sister of J. F. Dorroh, the Crayneville merchant, and she belongs to one of the best families of this section, the Dorrohs being connected in Lyon, Caldwell, Crittenden and Livingston counties.

The Record-Press joins with a host of friends in wishing them much joy in their new relations and long and useful life to each of them.

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All farmers of Crittenden County are urged to attend the sessions of the Institute and hear the speakers. Ladies especially invited.

J. P. PIERCE, Pres.,

Crittenden County Farmers Institute Club

C. W. Fox, Sec'y.; Myron C. Rankin, Commissioner of Agriculture and Labor Statistics; Perry M Shy, State Board of Agriculture.

ton would have brought about an average of four cents and you would have to ride your mule to town on second Monday and sell him for \$65.00 Under existing circumstances, with the present prices it seems to me that organization has done something for the farmers. We are not half done yet. We are going to make Armour Swift, Cudahay and Co., look like thirty cents on the fourth of July, before we are through. Somebody says that fellow is crazy. Yes that's what they said about the cotton business, the tobacco and etc. Let's see if we can do anything with the Meat Trust. The only way we can keep them from robbing the people is not to let them have the stock. The only way to keep them from getting the stock is, to not raise them, or have our own stock yards and cold storage pack them and sell them through our co-operative system to the southern brethren. Can we do that? Cairo, Ill., is located so as to be one of the greatest collecting and distributing points in the United States, for stock and their products. It has the advantages of the two greatest rivers in the U. S., which will give the stock and grain raisers of the north a cheap facility shipping their products, besides a number of railroads. It also, has the advantage as a distributing point to the southern consumer. We already have a tri-state union composed of Kentucky, Illinois and Missouri, and that is only the first step toward the great co-operative system I have been trying to tell you about. Farmers of the north and south are just as dependent upon each other as an infant is upon its mother, if one prospers the other is bound to prosper. And a co-operative system whereby the speculator, or middle man, profit may be cut out, would mean millions of dollars to both the northern and southern farmers. That money could be well spent for the better arrangement and the better living of their homes. Then our boys and girls would be content to stay at home and their home would be one of pleasure instead of one of dread and drudgery. Do you know what urens went to filling up their ware-

goes with all that great profit or duty collected from every farmer who produces any thing? These apple headed 'duddes' spend it for fine clothes, automobiles, fast women and to educate their children to think we are no more than the cattle that browse the hills. I see no way for the trusts (the privileged few) to improve their schemes of robbery and embezzlement. I think the only object remaining, is that they have to winter us northern subjects. If we were a lot of hibernates all would be well with them.

Excellent Health Advice.

Mrs. M. M. Davidson, of No. 179 Clifford Ave., San Jose, Cal., says: "The worth of Electric Bitters as a general family remedy, for headache, indigestion and torpor of the liver and bowels is so pronounced that I am prompted to say a word in its favor, for the benefit of those seeking relief from such afflictions. There is more health for the digestive organs in a bottle of Electric Bitters than in any other remedy I know of." Sold under guarantee at Haynes & Taylor's and Jas. H. Orme's drug stores. 50 cents.

KERSHAW ON HIS AMENDMENT

Will All Union Papers Copy? Editor.

I feel that I owe the members some explanation of my amendment.

There are two things which I want to speak about. 1st. The word assessment. This is very nearly to many people but the fact is, brothers, that, though many of you do not know it, there was a new union perfected in St. Louis, Mo., in November 1906, whose members embraced only the leading money men of the whole world. The charter members had their pockets full of proxies. The specific objects of this Diamond union is to take a short road to annihilating all trades, labor and farm unions. The coal division got down to work at once and went to storing coal. The railroads and factories got well suit, preparatory to April 1, 1908, when they knew a new mining schedule must be made. Manufacture

houses, wholesale houses went to stocking up. The captains of finance went to arranging matters so that drafts on all small banks would be made in the summer and fall of 1907. Then, when kings cotton, corn and hogs began to move they refused to let the small banks have money and the first gun from the batteries of the Diamond union was heard all over the world. It was shot off at Wall street.

The Diamond union has been paying special attention to the F. E. & C. U. of A. because we are cutting out the boards of trade on cotton and corn, because we are building our own warehouses, elevators and banks, because we are sending trains of corn and flour direct to our boys in the south. Now for us to lumber along at the rate we are (and yet we are doing wonders in our growth in members) would be downright foolishness.

We must not only strain every nerve and brain cell, but we must strain our pocketbooks but only a little.

2nd. The next unpleasant thing my amendment will have to contend with is the word draft. But certainly, if each general organizer and state organizer gives \$500 bond and each member of the national board of directors gives a \$50,000 bond I can not see what inducement there will be for a graft.

The state secretary of Illinois will tell any member that I have put in nearly as many local unions in Illinois as all the others put together. Yet I have not averaged \$1.50 a day. It is simply no use of any man or set of even close neighbors trying to put in a local unless they are qualified thoroughly for instructing in this work and to do so successfully requires a great deal of study and actual experience. To secure the services of good speakers, men who are well informed, men who understand human nature, men who understand our constitution, such men in the secure to travel day and night in the boiling sun driving rain in mud and dust and be away from their families months at a time certainly deserve good wages. They are the ones who clear the land, plow it and plant the first crop. To kick on ten cents a month to put 1,200 first class men who are furnished with plenty of advertising matter is nothing less than case hardened senseless penitentiary clothed in some flimsy excuse to hide its baseness.

Now discuss this amendment thoroughly without malice or passion and let each member resolve that if by paying \$3.00 in three years nineteen-tenths of the farmers west of the Alleghany mountains can be enrolled in our order he is determined to do so. Ask me any question through the press or by letter and I will cheerfully answer it.

Yours fraternally,
J. E. KERSHAW,
Arlington, Ky.

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PLACE SELECTED FOR NATIONAL CONVENTION

Special Correspondent to the Union Farmer.

Annual Meeting National Union. The annual meeting of the National Union of the Farmers' Educational and Co-Operative Union of America will be held in the city of Fort Worth, Texas, on the 1st day of September, 1908. The same being the first Tuesday in the month, the day fixed by the constitution for holding said meeting.

The basis of representation is one delegate for each 5,000 members or majority fraction thereof, who have paid dues for the third quarter 1908. States having no state union will be entitled to one representative.

Done by order of the board of directors.

Attest:
C. S. BARRETT, pres,
R. H. McCULLOCH, sec'y.

—The Union Farmer.

EXTENT OF THE FARMERS' UNION.

The F. E. and C. U. of A. has organized state unions in the following sixteen states:

Alabama, Arkansas, Colorado, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Kansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Missouri, North Carolina, Oklahoma, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas and Washington.

It has some organizing done in California, Indiana, Idaho, Kentucky, New Mexico, Nebraska, Oregon, Ohio and Virginia.

Of these latter states Kentucky will organize a state union August 6, 7 and 8 and Indiana probably soon after. —The Union Farmer.

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Wanted Young Men

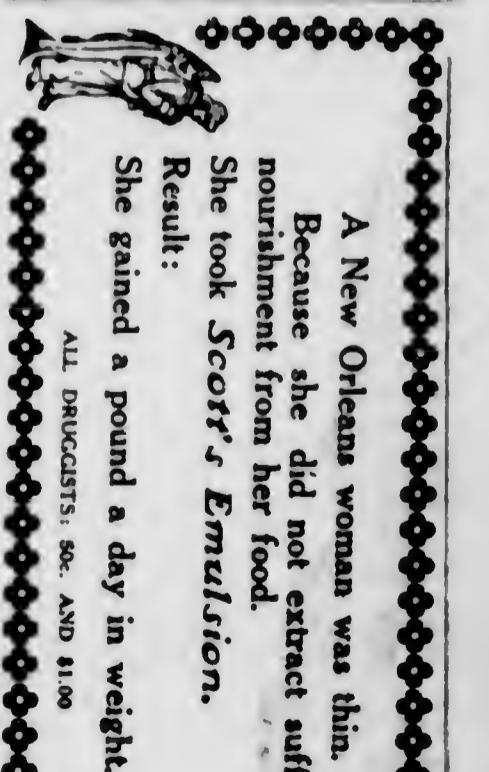
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MARION F. POGUE, Editor.

To farmers and their friends: While the object of these columns primarily to advance the cause of the Society of Equity, by promulgating its principles and recording its wonderful work in state and nation, in condensed form, we shall be glad to receive contributions from our friends everywhere relative to the farmer and his interests, no matter to what organization you may belong. All such communications should be addressed to me, Fredonia, Ky., R. F. D. No. 2. Such communications must be signed in full by the writer, besides the name do plume, if any.

THE EDITOR.

Then And Now.

When we first opened our unworthy eyes and the wonders of creation burst upon our view we saw the Old Kentucky, we saw a happy and contented people. Trusts and combines were unknown; millionaires were few and far between, only the famed riches of the Rothschilds of England were told of to us by our cousins across the sea, and in our poverty we could not blush and point to a few rich men of our own whom to day would be called only in moderate circumstances or "good livers", then came to the Astors, Gould, Vanderbilts and a few others, whose riches were spoken of by the great Journals of that day under glaring headlines and read with eager relish by the people. Trade was unrestricted, every man was privileged to take whatever capital he commanded and launch forth upon the great ocean commerce. It was not till the smoke of battle between the states had lifted, that vampires who had filled themselves with the blood of the nation, still hung on to the throat of the Republic and demanded like Shylock another pound of flesh for their part in saving the union, by gathering up government notes with their gold paying one dollar for two, and sometimes three. These notes we pay \$ for \$.

Our bonds were refunded with the interest payable in gold. This great debt of nearly two billions has never been paid, but we have nearly paid that sum in interest on those bonds our government feeling grateful to these self styled philanthropists, pays them interests quarterly on those bonds if they demand it, even if more bonds have to be sold to get the gold to pay with. Nor is this all, for under our banking system, as much money as the face of the bonds calls for is handed back to them to engage in the banking business with.

Other clouds rose above our horizon threatening our destruction. Congress passed into the hands of those who obeyed the will of the powerful masters; millions of acres of our public land were given away, millions more of rich pasture lands were seized by the cattle kings; then came the timber thieves whose holdings of to day would if made into lumber build all of the world anew; oil lands and coal lands were gobbled with the same rapacity that marked the other steals.

Next came the granting of franchises, and the chartering of corporations, which seemingly timid at first

learned to water their stock, this being permitted by the courts they grew bolder, seized the reins of the government in several states, which they still retain and use for their personal gain and the furtherance of their schemes. We shall have only space to notice but one of these plunderers of the people. Less than twenty years ago the great tobacco trust was organized with only \$400,000 capital stock today it calculates dividends on \$400,000,000. What an immense sum! Could it have been honestly acquired within that period in that line of business? How much of this vast sum has been wrung from the tobacco grower, as he toiled up and down between the rows, the sweltering sun of July and August beating down upon his back, or how much has been taken from the wrecks of competitors who doing a legitimate business were forced into bankruptcy and ruin by this merciless corporation which knows no law but might.

In the good old days the mighty forest oaks were cleared away to make room for the "tobacco patch," the crop was housed and who does not remember the "tobacco hangings" and hard cider of those glad days. The buyers came and bid for the crop, strong and honest competition, giving the farmer ample returns for his toil. Happiness, peace and prosperity reigned. Trusts were unknown. Night riders were never dreamed of. The word Kentucky and Kentuckian when spoken in any clime of the civilized world was synonym for bravery and patriotism. How changed! We are denominated today as a commonwealth of law breakers and anabaptists. Whole communities of a once law abiding and church going people, are set down as incendiaries and murderers. And in some sections whole communities have been indicted under these charges. What is the cause for this transformation of men into demons if the charges be true? These crimes were committed by somebody, and somebody should suffer the penalty of the law. I think that on this point that all good citizens are agreed, and I feel that the perpetrators themselves realize this and blame no officer within the confines of this state who has performed his duty thus, need have any fear that he will receive personal violence at their hands.

Now to the main question. These accused must have some kind of an excuse or cause for committing the crimes against the plain letter of the law. There must be something to quiet the conscience of even the night riders while in the slumbers of the night, who knows but in visions he reviews the events of the last dozen years. He sees the independent buyer driven from the field by the tobacco trust, he sees the country divided into districts and a price put upon his product which he must accept or later take less. He sees eight cent tobacco of a few years before, go for three and nothing. At five cents he could live but could not keep up his farm, but at the price set by the trust his family must suffer.

He was wedded to the tobacco patch, he had looked to it as had his father and grandfather for the money to pay taxes and buy the necessities of life. He does not know which way to turn for relief, the wants of a dependent family must be met, his marriage vow spurs him to effort, the wan face of a wife who had perhaps toiled by his side in tobacco field and the ragged children appealed to him as no other power on earth could. I have seen these miserable families with my own eyes, and that only very recently, both in the Dark Belt and the Burley country, where the misery is especially noticeable. And while it is a sight to call down shame on the rulers of our proud country,

the want destruction of any kind of values is a crime, whether it be the burning of a warehouse with its contents or the reduction of the value of a commodity by a corporation in open defiance of the law. The torch of the incendiary applied at night, a glare into the heavens that is spectacular, and appalling to the community, even if only a few hundred dollars worth of property goes up in ashes, but the trust works more quietly, the kid gloved gentry meet behind closed doors in gorgeous furnished apartments paid for by the sweat wrung from the brow of toiling millions. They have no competition, to speak of, from the figures furnished by the government they calculate the size of the crop, they know the foreign demand, they know the extent of home consumption. They then set a price that leaves the farmer no profit: not even living wages for his work. So at one fell blow

W. J. BRYAN AND HIS GRANDCHILDREN



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The same authority states that the Executive Board has never discussed the question of raising scale of prices on the 1907 pooled crop, or the feasibility of issuing no crop edict for 1909, as has been demanded by Nicholas county growers. After a careful survey of the situation figures have been compiled by equity people showing that only about thirty million pounds of tobacco will be grown throughout the burley belt this year, which is about one-fifth of the usual crop, showing that the no crop movement has been a decided success.

THE AMERICAN SOCIETY A FRIEND OF ALL.

When farmers, smarting under wrongs they could not entirely understand, realized they must organize so as to meet organization with organization, they very naturally looked no further than to the business men they knew for the source of their trouble.

The idea did not occur to them that the prices of their own products might be too low and unfairly and improperly made. They had been taught all their lives, as they yet are taught by many whose reasons for such teaching is incomprehensible, that the prices of farm products are made at the fountain head of trade in accordance with some mysterious law, and therefore, they must be right—at least that they were irrevocable. Hence if there was a lack of equity, an unfairness in prices the farmers at that time concluded it must do in the prices they were required to pay.

Their efforts were therefore, directed to a reduction of retailers' prices. Where merchants were stubborn or could see no place for a reduction of prices, the organized farmers formed companies and established stores of their own in opposition to the local trade. Some of these made creditable success but most of them were miserable failures.

The theory and action on the part of the farmers inevitably created antagonism between organized farmers and business men. So bitter was the antagonism that business interests still hold to it, and when farm organization is suggested to local merchants, or even to the wholesale trade, it is at once concluded that an enemy to them is being built up, and they vigorously oppose it.

But this is not true of the American Society of Equity. This organization is unlike many other farm organizations, in that it is built on an entirely different foundation, erected upon a different theory, and aims at an entirely different accomplishment—equity in all the business relations of life.

This society holds that the prices of farm products are the ones that are arbitrarily and unfairly made, that while supply and demand each

them greater permanency in price, more equitable adjustment. The price may be higher and it may be lower than sometimes made by the speculative forces, but it will always be remunerative to the producers because the profit revert to them instead of flowing into the coffers of those "who toil not, neither do they spin," and yet be no more costly to consumers. This can be done, the society claims, and has proven it, not by withholding needed supplies, but by keeping the market supplied only as actual demand calls for it, stringing it along throughout the season instead of pouring whole crops upon the market at times of maturity to become playthings of the bulls and bears of speculation and the means of extorting unfair prices from consumers.

This theory of farm organization and accomplishment of it job should place, the Society of Equity in the most friendly relations with the legitimate business interests of the country, and they with it. Indeed the society has fully proven its friendliness by opening its doors to business men, inviting them to membership, welcoming them to its councils, and working hand in hand with them in building up home interests. The Society of Equity has no secrets from the world, its propositions are plain business ones. Its success makes farmers better off financially, increases their ambitions, refines their tastes, multiplies their wants, gives them the ability to satisfy them and this makes them more abundant purchasers.

The merchant, therefore, or professional man, or any body who is unfriendly to the society is too narrow in his views and selfish in his actions, and be it blocking the path to his own best interests. In many localities the business and professional men understand this and have become members of the society and are helping to lead it on to maturity and to success. In others they give it every assistance by counsel and good words.

In such localities it takes eminently the proper form—that of pure mutuality of interests, leading to equity in all the business relations of life." And so it may be in every locality.—Farmers Problems.

Coal Oil For Campers.

I will supply campers at Hurricane with first class coal oil at 20¢, per gallon in gallon lots at the camp. Let me know by card or letter.

B. B. TERRY.

I will pay 50 cents per two-horse load for stable manure at your stable and have it hauled. S. M. JENKINS.

Lexington, Ky., July 24.—Secretary J. D. Clark, of the Fayette Equity Society, received last night checks to the amount of \$15,000 to be distributed among Fayette county tobacco growers for pooled tobacco recently sold.

We insert the above dispatches that our readers may keep in touch with our burley growing people. They have succeeded in setting the crop this year down to 20 per cent of last year's crop. This should be argument enough for the skeptic that that the Society of Equity does things, and is here to stay.

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THURSDAY, AUG 6, 1908

Dr. Vernon Richard Fox.

Of all the boys of Crittenden county who with their brains their energy and their stick-to-itiveness have climbed round after round of the ladder, that leads to honor and fame and glory, none have surpassed Vernon Richard Fox, a home boy who returns to Crittenden this week, having just graduated from the Hospital College of Medicine of Louisville Ky., where thru his splendid work in his chosen profession he attained and had bestowed upon him the highest honor of the Medical College from which he graduated last week. After having graduated from the Marion High School he entered the Hospital College of Medicine at Louisville, Ky., where for the past two years he was Demonstrator of Anatomy and acted as assistant professor and as lecturer of the College, honor attained by very few Kentucky students who have on the past graduated from that College. He comes home with the distinction and honor of having made the highest and best grade of all the graduates of the Hospital College of Medicine and in the competitive examination, an examination that had among those who attain the highest grade on final examination, he again departed himself with honor, by making the highest grade of all in the competitive examination and for his achievement had awarded to him by the Medical College a gold medal, as an expression of their appreciation of his proficiency in the science of Medicine. By reason of his attainments he was tendered by this college one years practice in the city hospital of the city of Louisville, this place he graciously tendered to one of his competitors whom he had surpassed and excelled in the final examination before the Faculty of his college. He has formed a partnership with the well known and popular physician Dr. O. C. Cook, of Crayne, Ky. We welcome home this young man who has been proficient in his studies, the determination to stand at the head, mounted step by step up the ladder of his chosen work until to day he stands at the head of all the graduates of his college and with

distinction he returns to take up the practice of medicine among his home people and we predict for him the greatest success in the future.

A FRIEND.

Birthday Dinner.

On August 1st, 1908, was Wm. P. Loyd's birthday being his 73rd, birthday, called in his neighbors to spend the day with him. They began to come in about nine o'clock and by twelve o'clock dinner was announced and at the table groaning under the good things that was prepared his good wife (Ellen) and we all enjoyed the dinner very much, after dinner Prof. Edgar O'Neal furnished the crowd with good music.

Then the crowd presented him with many presents and told him if they thought they had not done the dinner justice, to make another and invite them and they would try it again. He was expecting his sister from Cairo, Ill., who did not arrive, if she had, the whole thing would have been a success. Make another uncle Billie.

Those present were: Wm. Adams, Mrs. Mandenia Adams, Pressley Ford, Mrs. Mary Ford, Wash Deboe, Susie Deboe, Jack Jacobs, Joe Dollar, Ada Dollar, Emma Crowe, Linnie Maxwell, Jim Loyd, Minnie Loyd, Byrd Loyd, Emma Loyd, Sam Watson, Lora Watson, Lucy Sisco, Adeline Stovall, Kittie Loyd, F. S. Loyd, Vinie Harper, Ella O'Neal, Edgar O'Neal, Mary Minner, Bertha Stallions, Grace Loyd, Margie Loyd, Sigsby Loyd, Ed Harmon, Imogene Minner, Ina Minner, Kiar Minner, Geo. Stallions, Lorn Stallions, W. S. Stallions, Lacy Loyd, Robert minner, Marion Minner, Howard minner, Ernest Minner and Mary J. Crowe.

ONE WHO WAS THERE.

I have a farm for sale, two miles north of Marion on Memphis Mine road, known as the Joe Moore farm, contains 130 acres, good improvements, two dwellings, barn, stable and all necessary out buildings, lies on Crooked Creek and has 80 acres cleared, 50 acres virgin forest.

MRS. MARY MOORE,
Marion, Ky.

Attend The Farmers' Institute.

The members of our farmers' organizations throughout the county will have a good opportunity to show appreciation of up-to-date methods of farming by attending the "Farmer's Institute" which meets at Marion, Aug. 7th, and 8th.

This meeting is held under the auspices of the State Dept. of Agriculture which provides three men of experience to conduct the same. The Institute is for the benefit of all who will attend and is absolutely without money and without price. The state pays all the expenses of the meeting but since the state draws its revenues from us must attend to get our money's worth. I regret to say that the attendance at previous annual institutes at Marion has been small, not enough have to arouse the enthusiasm of the speakers or to justify the expense of the meetings, I am glad this has not been the case in other sections of our state and in other states of our union. In those sections the attendance is large and enthusiastic, and as a result, we find in those vicinities, better kept farms, better live stock and more prosperous farmers than we can boast.

Brother farmers, we must educate in scientific farming, the methods of our fathers are no longer adequate for success agriculture, they tilled a virgin soil which produced bountiful crops with their crude systems of cultivation. Through ignorance or through carelessness they have failed to preserve the fertility of much of that soil.

The problem which confronts us, is to restore and preserve the fertility of our soil. We owe the solution of this problem both to ourselves and to posterity for the welfare of all mankind, depends upon the productivity of the soil.

Mr. J. H. Hill, the president of the Northern Pacific R. R. and a man of wide experience affirms that one of the greatest problems that confronts our civilization to-day is the preservation of the fertility of our land.

But any one who will take a half days ride in any direction through Crittenden county will need no railroad president to convince him of the necessity of better systems of farming.

I have mentioned only one subject that might be discussed at a farmers' institute while any thing that is of interest or benefit to farmers is open to conference and discussion.

Brother farmers both of the Union and of the Equity—and non Union farmers too let us demonstrate to the world that we are in earnest in our efforts to better our constitution by attending our institute emasce and absorbing and profiting by all lessons.

Yours fraternally,

JOE N. DEAN.

Grave Yard Notice.

All persons interested in the Crowell grave yard, are requested to meet there Saturday, Aug. 22, for the purpose of cleaning off the yard. Bring dinner and come prepared to spend the day.

H. W. MCKEE.

G. D. HUGHES,

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Friends and relatives of those buried at Old Mt. Zion grave yard are requested to meet on Wednesday Aug. 12th, 1908, with tools and dinner prepared to do a days work on the last resting place our beloved dead.

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Ladies Fine Kid Oxfords, \$2.50 Now \$1.75.

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See us when in need of coal, we are right here with the goods. Can furnish you any grade at the lowest market prices. Guaranteed satisfaction.

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Phone 31.

Plans Changed.

On account of being unable to get material and workmen assembled in time to begin work on our boiler walls Monday Aug. 10th, we have postponed the date until moonlight nights in September. Due notice will be given to stores, residences and all patrons at that time. MARION ELECTRIC LIGHT & ICE COMPANY, INCORPORATED, BY S. M. JENKINS, PRESIDENT.

Report of the School Benefit

Fund for the Year 1907-8

Total Receipts from all sources \$100,00
Total Expenses for Lyceum Course, Play and Commencement

377.73

Net Receipt for the year \$113.02

From the net receipts the following amounts have been expended.

Ticket Punch..... \$3.75

Tickets, sufficient for three years School Entertainments..... 3.00

1000 Library Cards..... 2.50

250 Song Cards..... 4.00

Material for Stage Curtains..... 7.80

Locks and Glass for Library Cases..... 3.00

Lumber and Laboratory Tables..... 5.00

Subscription to Magazines..... 8.00

Total..... \$34.05

Balance on hand 78.97

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I affirm the above to be a correct account of all money received and expended, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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gave a lawn party to their young friends Wednesday evening from six to eight o'clock. The time was very pleasantly spent in playing games and contests. Miss Virginia Blue won the prize in the donkey contest and Miss Ruth Melton in the clothes pin ball contest. Refreshments of ices, punch and cake were served. Those who attended were Mayme Haynes, Ruth Croft, Helen Sayre, Ada Ford, of Webster City, Iowa, Hazel and Lucile Pollard, Joanna Rankin, Linda Jenkins, Leota Frazier, Lottie and Ethel Vick, Louise and Alice Chapman, of Chicago, Geneva Daniels, Virginia Blue, Margaret and Francis Woods, of St. Louis, Miriam Blackburn, Elizabeth King, Gladys Baker, Mary Weldon, Elizabeth Cook, Nelle Olive, Joyce Adams, Ruth Melton, Jessie Rhea McConnell, Louise Clement, Elizabeth Rochester, Marie Wallace, Jimmie Wallace, Bernice Sutherland, Roberta Moore, Leona and Nannie Miller, Mary Dollar, Gladys Fay and Alice Wallace.

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If you want a real bargains in Clothing, it will pay you well to come and look at ours. Some lots in Suits and Extra Pants that sizes are broken that you can buy for Less than Wholesale

Take Advantage of this Opportunity.

Many have already taken advantage of this opportunity, so can you if you like.

This same rule applies to Boys Knee Pant Suits.

SPECIAL PRICES
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LOOK AT THESE PRICES

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	\$1.00 Wool Voil	.75c.
	.75 " "	.50c.
	.50 Silk Tissue	.35c.
	.35 Silk Organdy	.20c.
	.25c. Lawn	.20c.
	.15c. Lawn	.10c.
	.12½ and 10c Lawn	.8c
	.7c Lawn	.5c.

They will go at these Prices While they last. Of course that will not be long. So Don't Wait.

Goes the Prices on

LOW CUT SHOES.

\$3.50 Ladies Patent, Button	\$2.85
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White Slippers for Ladies and Children, just

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In some of these lots the sizes are broken, but the ones we have may be just your size, any-way come and see.

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on Men's Low Cut Shoes Too.

Don't wait to see what some one else has bought, but come see for yourself

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PERSONALS

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Mrs. Oliver Hurley and baby girl were visiting in Sturgis last week.

FOR SALE - One second hand Sewing Machine Wagon. Geo. M. CANNAN

Arthur Watkins of Mayfield, is visiting friends here this week.

Miss Elvah Pickens is visiting friends in Union county this week.

Hon. O. M. James returned from Louisville Saturday morning.

Miss Carmie Duncan, of Corydon is guest of Miss Nell Sutherland.

Leer Guess, of Tolu, is at Crittenden Springs this week recuperating.

J. R. Summerville and family, of Mattoon were here Sunday the guests of relatives.

Ed Brown, of Tolu, was here Saturday enroute to Union county on a visit of several days.

Mrs. Lon T. Johnson, of Morganfield, was the guest of friends here the first of the week.

Mrs. J. F. Price left yesterday for Sullivan to visit her sister Mrs. J. J. Martin for a few days.

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Ask, Haynes & Taylor.

J. J. Martin and wife, of Sullivan, were the guests of J. T. Pickens and family Sunday.

Rev. J. F. Price, who returned a few days ago from Tennessee is now at Hebbardsville, Henderson county assisting in a meeting.

Misses Ina Price and Gustava Haynes, are members of a house party being entertained by Miss Carrie Rice this week at Lisman.

Miss Grace Council, of Mayfield, who was Miss Katie Yates guest on Wednesday.

Miss Florence May Hui, who has been on an extended visit to her sister in Nashville, returned home last Tuesday.

F. W. Nunn, dentist, Press Building
Mrs. J. Shrode, of Hopkinsville, is the guest of relatives here this week.

Oil Wallace and family, of Dawson, were the guests of J. C. Wallace and family last week.

H. H. Sayre spent the day with his family Sunday. He has just returned from a trip to the mountains.

Mrs. Chas. Evans, of Ardmore I. T., and Miss Nonie Blue, of St. Louis, are now in Colorado for Mrs. Evans health.

Mrs. C. P. Noggle and children were at DeKoven last week being called there on account of the illness of G. W. Noggle.

Mrs. Ken Williams, of Providence was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gugenheim last week.

G. W. Noggle the father of our townsmen, C. P. Noggle is quite ill at his home in DeKoven.

J. M. Barnes and family attended the funeral of his mother here last Saturday and returned to their home at Tolu that night.

Orlin Moore, the hustling laundry man and Robi. Jenkins went to Crittenden Springs Sunday afternoon.

Rev. W. R. Gibbs, of Sheridan, passed thru the city Monday enroute to Hopkins county to assist in a meeting.

Bob. Boyd, of Salem, was here Thursday on a business trip. He said he did not come to attend the ball game.

The Hurricane Camp Meeting will begin August 20th 1908. Workers for the present meeting will be Revs. Robt. Johnson, W. C. Swope, and C. E. Deese, preachers and Robi. Lear singer.

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Don't forget the show here next Tuesday week Aug. 18th, it will signalize the appearance of the Sun Brothers' Greater Progressive Shows. This is one of the institutions of this country that has a clean and honest record. It is free from grafters, gamblers and all off color issues, and is invariably attractive for ladies and children. The performing elephants carried are said to be one of the salient features of the performance. Remember the date Tuesday August 18.

Baseball to-day Marion vs. Smithland.

Mr. Ed Jones wife and daughter, of Sturgis vicinity, visited Oliver Hurley and family last week.

Mrs. Cleveland Stone and daughter Mary Rebecca will visit relatives in Hopkinsville next next week.

H. F. Morris and wife left Tuesday for Dawson to spend a few days recuperating at that famous health resort.

Richard Crawford, of Livingston county, was the guest of W. L. Shell Saturday.

Mrs. W. W. Sloan and two sons, of Leitchfield, Ky., who were the guests of her father Dr. G. W. Stone returned home Tuesday after a visit of ten days.

LOST.—On the streets of Marion or in some store a black hand sachet containing a watch, small gold locket, and some ribbons and other valuables. Finder will be rewarded by returning to J. D. ASHER, Marion.

Miss Rudy Brinson a fair charmer from Union county was the guest of Miss Allie May Yates last week and Miss Ina Price this week.

Vernon Traughber, of Nashville, Tenn., Ted Hollifield and Will Watkins, of Mayfield, have gone to their homes after a visit of several days to Sylvan Price.

Miss Beana Hill who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Woods left last week for Calhoun, she will go to Oklahoma this fall to locate.

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Rufus McMican, who has been visiting relatives in Muhlenberg county returned last Wednesday after a most pleasant stay. He was the guest of Hutch Young formerly of Tolu now of Weir Ky.

If you want the best Coffee, use the H. & K. Brand, you can secure it at Copher's.

Mrs. C. P. Noggle, and children have returned home from DeKoven where they visited G. W. Noggle who was quite ill, we are glad to report him somewhat better.

J. R. McAfee and family left Wednesday for Louisville their home after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Flanary. Mrs. McAfee is not in-good health, but is reported improving.

W. H. Summers, of Lorraine, Tex. son of Hon. Jas. R. Summers, of Salem, is in Kentucky on a visit the first one he has made in two years. His wife who was Miss Allie Butler, daughter of the Hon. Albert Butler, has been in Kentucky for several weeks also. They will return to Texas this month.

After a weeks visit to Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hurley, of Marion, Mr. Ed Jones, wife and daughter, Josephine, returned home Monday, bringing Mrs. Hurley and daughter Catherine home with them.—Sturgis News-Democrat.

Miss Zola White, daughter of Dr. D. T. White, of Blackford was here Thursday the guest of friends in the city. Miss Zola is one of our "Graduated High Schools" brightest girls.

B. B. Terry and G. D. Humphreys Ice Cream Supper at Dave Humphreys Saturday night Aug. 15th. Right of Deer Creek church. String Band. A cake will be given to the prettiest girl and also an offer of marriage.

Sunday was Mission day at Union and a large crowd was there and every thing passed off pleasantly. The pastor Rev. W. R. Gibbs preached. The sum of \$71.99 was raised for missions and ministers aid, which was quite a handsome collection.

M. H. Weldon and grand-daughter Ruth Dodge have returned from Wytheville Va., where they went to visit Clarence Weldon and family. They report a most enjoyable trip and left his son and family well.

John Brantley who was formerly a citizen of Marion and moved from here to Waverly has the sympathy of all his friends in the death of his wife, who was Miss Cammie Shuttleworth before her marriage. Her death occurred last Thursday July 30th at the home of Jesse Brantley near Gladstone. The interment was on Saturday at Rosebud.

James S. Blue, a prominent citizen of Morganfield died suddenly with heart failure last Friday night at 8 o'clock at the store of Blue and Hedges of which he was one of the owners. He was about sixty years of age a mason and member of the Presbyterian church. He was a cousin of Mayor J. W. Blue of this city.

The Marion Cemetery Association has ordered a car-load of crushed limestone rock, to be used on the drive-ways, in the cemetery. The Association hopes to be able to purchase at least two car-loads this season, and get the new drive-ways partly covered before winter. They are asking those having lots to help in this work. Many have paid in the fee of \$3.00 for this year's work; more have not. This work of improving the cemetery can be carried on only by a co-operation of those interested there. This is a cause all ought to be willing to help along. If you have not paid in this year, do so at an early date, and help the Association get the grounds in good shape ere winter.

Take day off when the Sun Brothers' Greater Shows appear here on Tuesday Aug., 18th, it will be a gala occasion, as this show is one of the finest conducted and one of the best performing exhibitions traveling in America. The horses and ponies carried are a special feature and form one of the interesting sights. There is also a great exhibit of wild animals and odd beasts from strange lands. The "Main Top" performance is said to be one of superior excellence.

Do You Need Help?

The State Board of Agriculture, Forestry & Immigration has appointed me Immigration Clerk for Kentucky. I will go to New York about August 1st, and will be in touch with the best classes of laborers and house help. If you or any of your neighbors need help of any kind and will write me, I will send you application blanks and secure the help

you desire free of charge.

Respectfully,
E. J. GREEN,

State Immigration Clerk.

Secure A Free Scholarship Now.

All persons who contemplate entering the Western Kentucky State Normal School on a free scholarship should register their names and addresses with their County Superintendent on or before August 8, 1908. The state of Kentucky has provided FREE TUITION for young people who desire to enter the teaching service. The demand for qualified teachers is much greater than the supply. The Western Normal offers young people sixteen years old or older unexcelled opportunities to prepare themselves for the noble work of teaching.

See your County Superintendent and register your name and address as an applicant, and write H. H. Cherry, President of the Western Normal, of Bowling Green, Ky., for an illustrated catalogue just received from the hands of the printer.

Miss Leah Wilborn returned from Louisville Wednesday afternoon.

Tolu Wins a Game.

Tolu, Ky., July 30.—The Tolu ball team defeated the fast bunch from Rosiclare, Ill., on the Tolu grounds by a score of 4 to 1 on Wednesday July 29. R. Hamilton pitched a great game allowing only six hits three of which were scratches. The score.

R. H. E.
Tolu———4. 15. 2.
Rosiclare———1. 6. 7.
Batteries, Tolu, Hamilton, Easley and Wright; Rosiclare, Barker and Jackson. Three base hits, Sneed (2), Easley, Thomas. Struck out by Hamilton 13 in 7 innings; Easley 4 in two innings by Barker S. Umpire Lucas.

The Crittenden Springs Hotel.
Now open for the Season.
F. M. Davidson, Proprietor
Fare as good as the market affords.
The patronage of the public will be appreciated and every effort made to please them.

MR. BRYAN ON STEPS OF HIS HOME

FARMERS INSTITUTE

To be Held in Marion, Kentucky, Crittenden County, on Friday and Saturday, Aug. 7 and 8.

PROGRAM.

FIRST DAY, AUGUST SEVENTH.
9:30—Meeting called to order.—J. P. Pierce
Prayer—Rev. J. B. Adams
Welcome Address—Hon. J. W. Blue
Response—C. M. Hanna, Shivelyville, Ky.
Soil Acidity and Clover—John A. McClure
Hickman, Kentucky

AFTERNOON

The Five Points of Corn Culture—Geo. P. Rodgers, Smithland, Kentucky.
Discussion—Club Members.
Small Fruits on the Farm—Myron Frisbee
The Mortgage Lifter—John A. McClure
Discussion—Club Members

SECOND DAY, AUGUST EIGHTH.

Called to Order—Tres. J. P. Pierce
Use and Abuse of Commercial Fertilizers—C. M. Hanna
Alfalfa—J. M. Walker
Breeding Raising and Selling Mules—Geo. P. Rodgers
Unassigned Topics—Club Members

AFTERNOON

Good Roads Convention—Practical Demonstration—C. M. Hanna and Associates
Through the courtesy of local talent the sessions will be enlivened by vocal and instrumental music

James Lee Got Well.

Everybody in Zanesville, O., knows Mrs. Mary Lee, of rural route No. 8. She states: "My husband, James Lee, firmly believes he owes his life to the use of Dr. King's New Discovery. His lungs were so severely affected that consumption seemed inevitable, when a friend recommended New Discovery. We tried it, and its use has restored him to perfect health."

Dr. King's New Discovery is the King of throat and lung remedies. For coughs and colds it has no equal. The first dose gives relief. Try it! Sold under guarantee at Haynes & Taylor's and Jas. H. Orme's drug stores. 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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She Likes Good Things.

Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, of West Franklin, Maine, says: "I like good things and have adopted Dr. King's New Life Pills as our family laxative medicine, because they are good and do their work without making a fuss about it." These painless purifiers. Sold at Haynes & Taylor's and Jas. H. Orme's drug stores. 25 cents.

Learn Telegraphy.

We have advance calls for over 5,000 graduates to be furnished in the coming year. The new eight-hour law, going into effect next March, has created a shortage of about 20,000 telegraphers on the railroads of the United States. Positions paying \$60 to \$90 per month to beginners absolutely guaranteed under a \$150 bond.

This Institute is the largest of its kind in America and is under the direct supervision of railway officials. Enter at any time. Write for full details.

NATIONAL TELEGRAPH INSTITUTE, Cincinnati, Ohio.

I have a good Ingersoll-Sargent Steam Drill and full equipment for any kind of work ready to run as soon as it is up. Size of Drill 32, regular mine size. Also sharpening tools. For further information write me, J. M. JACKSON, Rosi Clara, Ill.

Iron! Iron! Iron!!

Commencing Monday, July 27. We will pay 10cts per 100 for old iron, heavy cast, wrought iron, and stove cast, weighed on city scales, delivered at car up to and including Monday, August 10 '08. Schwab Produce Co.

Notice Farmers.

On Friday and Saturday, Aug. 7 and 8. The Crittenden County Farmers' Institute will be held in Marion to which every farmer with their wives sons and daughters are cordially invited with the full assurance that you will be well paid for your time and trouble in attending, especially do we invite all members of the Society of Equity and the Farmers' Union we will have competent speakers who will lecture on all lines of interest to the farmer.

J. P. PIERCE, Pres., Crittenden County Farmers' Institute Club.

C. W. FOX, Secy.

Served as coffee, the new coffee substitute known to grocer's everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Health Coffee, will trick even a coffee expert. Not a grain of real coffee in it either. Pure healthful toasted grains, malt, nuts, etc. have been so cleverly blended as to give a wonderfully satisfying coffee taste and flavor. And it is "made in a minute," too. No tedious 20 to 30 minutes boiling. Sold by Morris & Yates.

O. I. C. Pigs For Sale.

I have a very thrifty lot of O. I. C. pigs, that are subject to regular, for sale at \$10.00 each. Baker, Nelle, be glad for those in Marion, call and see them or write me. J. L. WRIGHT, Hampden Kentucky.

Oct. 1.

Fine Stock For Sale.

I have a few yearlings Shropshire Rams of high breeding, also a nice selection of lambs of same breeding and for sale. They are of the low-down broad back heavy bone type.

One short horn male entitled to register, year old in August. Gired by a grand individual of very high merit. A few Poland China pigs most ready for service. J. R. SUMMERS, Salem, Ky.

August time tells on the nerves. But that spirit less, no ambition feeling can be easily and quickly altered by taking what is known by druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. Within 48 hours after beginning to use the Restorative, improvement will be noticed. Of course, full health will not immediately return. The gain, however, will surely follow. And best of all, you will realize and feel your strength and ambition as it is returning. Outside influences depress first the "inside nerves" then the Stomach, Heart, and Kidneys will usually fail. Strengthen these failing nerves and Dr. Shoop's Restorative, each quickly health will return. Sold by Jas. H. Orme, next door to

If you want to be in the basket, get in the basket.

ss Building,

2nd St., Marion, Ky.



Commissioner's Sale.

Crittenden Circuit Court, Ky.

H. A. HAYNES, ADM'R. GE
W. L. BENNETT, PLF. } Equity
vs. }
DYCESBURG CANNING CO., DFT.

By virtue of a Judgment as Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June Term thereof, 1908, in the above cause for the sum of \$1657.00 with interest at the rate of 6 per cent, per annum from the 15th day of August, 1905, until paid, and \$50.00 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1908, at 1 o'clock P. M., or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months, the following described property to wit:

A certain tract of land lying in the county of Crittenden and State of Kentucky, and bounded as follows: In the town of Sheridan and being the land conveyed to said T. J. Hamilton by T. J. Yates and wife on the 17th day of September 1888 by deed of record in the Clerk's office of Crittenden County, Ky., Deed Book on page 233, containing in all 344 acres, or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered to be made.

For the purchase price the purchaser with approved security or securities, must execute Bond, bearing legal interest from the day of sale until paid, and having the force and effect of a Judgment. Bidders will be prepared to comply promptly with these terms. J. G. ROCHESTER, Commissioner.

Notice Of Marshall's Sale.

United States of America,
Western District of Kentucky.

Crittenden Circuit Court, Ky.
W. E. Cobb, Plf. } Equity.
vs. }
Lige McCain, Dft. }

By virtue of a Judgment and Order of Sale of the Crittenden Circuit Court, rendered at the June Term thereof, 1908, in the above cause for the sum of \$97.34 interest and cost and credit of \$5.00 paid September 23, 1908 with interest at the rate of 8 per cent, per annum from the 23rd day of September 1905, until paid, and \$50.00 costs herein, I shall proceed to offer for sale at the Court-house door in Marion to the highest bidder, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on Monday, the 10th day of August, 1908, at 1 o'clock P. M., or thereabout (being County Court day), upon a credit of six months the following described property to wit:

A certain house and lot in the town of Marion, Crittenden county, Ky., and being the same property conveyed to Lige McCain by R. W. Wilson and wife by deed dated the 21st day of November, 1889, and deed is of record in Deed Book No. 20, page 110, Clerk's office of Crittenden County Court, and described as follows:

A certain lot near the town of Marion and is shown on a plat now of record in Book U, page 268, said plat shows No. of lots and No. of feet sold, having been made by lots and parts of lots thrown together make this lot a part of lot No. 3 in said plat and perhaps a part of No. 7 a lot having been conveyed to Simon Bigham and to be conveyed to him of 19 feet on the street, 100 feet to Dick Carr's at which point in the street and the S. E. corner of the Dick Carr lot is the beginning of this lot to said McCain, thence with street and south 90 feet, thence near west at right angle to the Princeton road, thence near both lines 90 feet, thence parallel with said line to the beginning, or sufficient thereof to produce the sums of money so ordered.

Amount to be raised—\$4142.25.

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You!! Is Your Skin Healthy?

This doesn't necessarily mean have you any serious skin disease at this moment—though just as sure as you are reading this, a little skin trouble to-day is liable to mean a very serious one to-morrow.

Are there "itchy" places on your face, head, arms, legs, body, hands or feet?

Does your skin ever burn or smart—particularly on your feet?

Have you pimples, red spots or blotches or are you troubled with boils or carbuncles?

Have you any serious skin disease that has been treated for a long time but doesn't seem to get well?

Littell's Liquid Sulphur stops itching instantly and will prevent the trouble developing into anything more serious.

Littell's Liquid Sulphur will stop the pain, cure the cause and cool and refresh the skin.

Littell's Liquid Sulphur taken internally and applied externally will cure them and prevent their return by purifying your blood.

Littell's Liquid Sulphur, if used strictly according to directions, absolutely will cure it.

Have You Eczema?

It makes no difference what may be the matter with your skin or blood—large or small, slight or serious.

Littell's Liquid Sulphur Will Cure It

This includes such troubles as Prickly Heat, Hives, Stings and Bites of Insects, Sunburn, Cuts, Burns, Scalds—any and all diseases or accidents that roughen, mar or in any way affect the skin.

A Sample

Send us 10c in stamp for a generous sample bottle of Littell's Liquid Sulphur—enough to prove its value to you. All charges prepaid.

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